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SUBJ: ANGOLAN DELEGATION AT COFFEE CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 270320, 270321

1. EMBOFF OUTLINED TO ASST FOREIGN MINISTER DUNN ON NOVEMBER 18 US POSITION ON ANGOLAN SITUATION AND REPRESENTATION ANGOLA AT COFFEE CONFERENCE IN TERMS SET FORTH STATE 270320 AND 270321. DUNN SAID THAT NO SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS HAD BEEN SENT TO LONDON BY GOL FOR DEALING WITH ANGOLAN REPRESENTATION AT COFFEE CONFERENCE. DUNN WAS CONFIDENT, HOWEVER, THAT NO LIBERIAN REPRESENTATIVE WOULD CONSIDER VOTING ON ANY PUTATIVE DELEGATION'S CREDENTIALS OR REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE AS OBSERVER WITHOUT SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS. HE ATTRIBUTED THIS CONFIDENCE TO GOL'S GUIDANCE TO ALL LIBERIAN DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS AT TIME OF ANGOLAN INDEPENDENCE. GUIDANCE HAD MADE IT UNEQUIVOCALLY CLEAR THAT GOL'S EFFORT, IN INTEREST OF AVOIDING BLOODSHED, IS TO ENCOURAGE DEVELOPMENT OF GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNION IN ANGOLA TO TAKE NO ACTION THAT WOULD TEND TO SUPPORT ANY ONE OF CONTENDING FACTIONS AT EXPENSE OF OTHERS.

2. ALTHOUGH IT CLEAR THAT GOL POSITION ON THESE MATTERS

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IDENTICAL WITH US POSITION, EMBOFF NEVERTHELESS EXPRESSED

HOPE THAT LIBERIAN DELEGATION AT COFFEE CONFERENCE WOULD
HAVE INSTRUCTIONS TO JOIN IN EFFORT TO PREVENT ADMISSION
OF MPLA DELEGATION EITHER AS PRINCIPAL OR AS AN OBSERVER.
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